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For : ERROR INFORMING APPARATUS AND ERROR INFORMING
METHOD

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated October 6, 2003, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on January 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

In re application of : Masao AKIMOTO et al.

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Transmitted herewith is a Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

- ☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ A Request for Extension of Time.
- ☒ No Additional Fee.

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Indep. Claims: 3	**6	0	x 43=	\$	x 86=	\$0.00
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